

WAITING FOR A STAMPEDE.

Major M'Laughlin Is Still On the Trail of General De Young.

By GEORGE F. HATTON.

(Special to the Tribune.) SACRAMENTO, Jan. 26.—There are many who prophesy that by this time next week the Senatorial fight will be all over, including the shouting. To the individual who stands in the lobby of the Assembly Chamber at noon daily and listens to the monotonous and unchanging ballots, such a prediction might seem an absurdity but those who are in possession of more information than appears upon the surface are willing to admit that the end is possibly not far away.

Had it not been for the Wright investigation it is certain that a move of some description would have been made long ago, for the only reason why the members have consented to allow things to stay in a rut so long is because they realize that it would not be fair to either the candidates or their supporters to attempt to break while they were under fire.

Now, however, that the smoke of the investigation is about to clear away something will have to be done. Those who have been voting day in and day out for their various candidates will no longer put off with promises as to what may be but will rather insist on something tangible appearing in evidence. There are too many good Republicans here to allow the Senatorial contest to go by the boards and remain a deadlock without results throughout the session, for it is by no means certain that two years from now the Republicans will have a legislative majority again and hence the Senatorship might be sacrificed to the Democrats.

This feature of the situation is one that is attracting a good deal of attention just now. The decision of the United States Senate in the case of Corbett of Oregon precludes the Governor from making an appointment when the Legislature fails to elect, thereby leaving the seat vacant altogether. It is certain, therefore, that the national administration will, in view of the conditions here, exert its influence if it looks as if the contest is going to wind up without result. It is a matter of great importance to the President to have a Republican Senator elected from California if possible so although there is no desire to interfere in a family difference the matter will be a different one altogether if it looks as if the party is liable to lose a six years' vote in the Upper House.

There are many members who are considering this phase of the fight very seriously and it is from this element that trouble will certainly come for the candidates sooner or later unless the fight is ended. The members in question have noted from time to time the statement in behalf of this or that candidate that he will deadlock the convention to the end unless he can win and they say they do not propose to allow things to be run in that way. Their theory is that if, after exhausting every resource at his command, a candidate finds that he cannot possibly win, he should withdraw from the fight and not endanger the party for the sake of his own personal ambitions.

What is more, these members say that unless the candidates in question will look at things in that light they will have to ignore them altogether and take the fight into their own hands, a proceeding which it is needless to say would bring about a caucus without much further ado. All this talk, therefore, about a caucus being an impossibility is wrong for, although some of the candidates have been able to keep their supporters out of such a meeting during the early stages of the fight they cannot possibly do so if it progresses much longer.

There are indications and reasons though outside of these as to why a caucus cannot be much longer delayed. Senator Bulla has repeatedly told those who are voting for him that he does not intend to pursue a dog-in-the-manger policy, but that the moment he is satisfied all hopes of his election are gone he will turn them footloose as far as he personally is concerned.

From Grant's camp too has come practically the same thing. In conversation with your correspondent a few days ago Milton Green when asked if Grant intended to deadlock the convention and prevent an election altogether if he found he could not win replied "certainly not." Mr. Grant is too good a Republican to think of such a thing. If the time should arrive when he felt satisfied that his election was impossible, he would get out of the fight altogether.

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WAITING FOR THE REPORT.

(Special to The Tribune.)

SACRAMENTO, Cal., Jan. 26.—Although it was anticipated that a partial report at least would be submitted to-day by the Investigating Committee, it was decided not to do so owing to the stand taken by the Call regarding Cosper, who insists that he shall be given a full opportunity to clear himself.

Everything, therefore, is postponed until Lamberton of Visalia arrives and gives the testimony which Cosper says will put him straight.

The Senatorial situation is absolutely

blockaded pending a report which it is now understood will censure Wright, Grant, and Green.

As far as Wright is concerned, though it will show that the money he received was to be expended before the primary and hence exonerates him to the extent that it was not used in his election. As regards the \$750 note transaction, that will be shown to have been a personal matter and that no part of it was spent in his election.

The Senate Judiciary Committee has reported adversely on the license bill sent up by M. J. Keller of Oakland.

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SENATORS ARE STILL SENDING IN NEW BILLS.

(Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.)

SACRAMENTO, Jan. 26.—In the Senate this morning Flint introduced a petition from the Council of Associated Industries calling upon the Legislature to pass the food bill.

A petition from the residents of Sutter Creek for the passage of a Sunday law was introduced by Davis.

In the Senate the following measures were introduced:

By Trout—Amending section 623 of the Penal Code.

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By Trout—Making an appropriation to pay the claim of D. E. O'Keefe.

By Trout—To amend section 1,575 of the school law of California.

By Custer—To amend section 5 of an act relating to the health, accident, and endowment insurance of the assessment plan, etc., approved March 19, 1891.

By Sargent—To amend section 487 of the Penal Code.

By Learht—To amend section 240 of the Penal Code of California.

By Simpson—To amend section 1,825 of the Code of Civil Procedure.

A joint resolution was introduced calling upon the State's representatives in Congress to deny participation in its councils to Brigham H. Roberts and requesting Congress to submit to the Legislatures of the several States an amendment to the constitution forbidding polygamy within the United States or in any place subject to their jurisdiction.

A second joint resolution was introduced calling upon Congress to use all honorable means to end the practice of such measures as shall stimulate and develop a high degree of our national resources and ability as ship builders and ocean carriers.

Davis introduced a constitutional amendment amending sections 1, 2, 4, 9, 12, 16, 17, 18, 21 and 22 of article VI of the constitution, relating to the Judicial Department of the State of California.

DEAR JACK IS STILL ON AT THE CAPITOL.

SACRAMENTO, Jan. 26.—The joint ballot for United States Senator occupied just nineteen minutes today. The result was the same as it has been on every ballot taken this week. The detailed vote on this, the thirty-first ballot, was:

whole number of votes cast, 116; necessary to choose, 58.

BARNES.....11
ESTEE.....13
BULLA.....25
FELTON.....27
SCOTT.....2
DE VRIES.....2
ROSENFIELD.....2
BARD.....31
WHITE.....31

The joint meeting then adjourned until tomorrow at noon.

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STILL NO CHANGE.

CAPITOL, Sacramento,

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GEN. GARLAND'S TRAGIC DEATH.

Fatally Stricken While Addressing Supreme Court.

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WASHINGTON, Jan. 26.—Former Attorney-General Garland fell senseless while addressing the United States Supreme Court shortly after noon today. He was carried from the chamber. Senator Gallinger, who is a physician, was called, and said it was a stroke of apoplexy and would be fatal.

Later—General Garland died almost immediately.

DETAILS OF THE TRAGEDY.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 26.—Former Attorney-General Augustus H. Garland was stricken with apoplexy while addressing the United States Supreme Court at 12:15 o'clock this afternoon, and died within ten minutes.

The occurrence came with startling and tragic unexpectedness, changing the usual calm and dignity of the court into temporary confusion, while the dying man was carried from the chamber in a futile effort to alleviate his condition.

When the court convened at noon Mr. Garland resumed his argument in the case of Towson vs. Moore, which had begun yesterday. There was a full bench, with the exception of Justices Shiras and White.

Mr. Garland spoke calmly and with no evidence of agitation or effort. He had read from a volume and had followed with the sentence: "This, your honors, is our contention." As the last word was uttered, Mr. Garland was seen to raise his hand and then gasp. He tottered and fell sideways, striking against a chair and overturning it as he fell heavily to the floor. A succession of loud, deep gasps came from him as he lay there.

His associate in the case, Mr. Franklin Mackay, was at once by his side and with other counsel and officials the head of the dying man was raised, his shoes removed and a draught of water given him. A deadly pallor had overspread his face, and this soon gave way to a deep purple, which foretold the gravity of the attack.

He was carried from the chamber across to the room of Chief Clerk McKeon, where he was placed on a sofa.

Senator Gallinger, who is a physician, was near at hand. A single glance told him that the attack would be fatal. Within ten minutes from the time of the stroke Mr. Garland breathed his last.

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SACRAMENTO, Jan. 26.—In the Assembly several bills went to third reading and final passage. The Paris Exposition bill, appropriating \$120,000 to have the State represented at the exposition, was passed.

The original bill called for an appropriation of \$150,000, but was cut down to \$120,000 by an amendment proposed by Valentine. But five members voted against the bill and amended it.

The measure appropriating \$150 to purchase a plow of ex-Governor Pugh was passed with but one dissenting vote.

The measure introduced by Assemblyman E. D. Sullivan, giving the city and county of San Francisco the power to appropriate \$300,000 to be used in the construction of a public hospital was passed.

A number of petitions praying for the enactment of a Sunday law were presented by several members.

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LOS ANGELES, Jan. 26.—To-day witnessed the completion, in every detail, of the longest electric power transmission system in the world, that which supplies the city of Los Angeles with electricity from power developed at the head of the Santa Ana River, eighty miles away.

A telegram was sent from this city to-day by Senator G. H. Barker of the Edison Electric Company and Southern California Power Company to C. A. Coffin, president of the General Electric Company in New York, informing him the completion of the work and its successful operation for forty-eight hours.

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LOS ANGELES, Jan. 26.—W. L. Tilton, formerly the owner of two saloons in Tacoma, Wash., has filed a suit in insolvent in the United States Court here. The Tiltons are placed at \$30,577.48, of which \$11,500 is secured in property. The heaviest creditor is the National Bank of Commerce of Tacoma, which has a claim of \$5,100.

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THE FAMILY WAS POISONED. CHINESE MAKE A BIG CONTRACT.

Purchased Old Hominy From a Local Peddler.

Mrs. Minnie May Norton of 528 Thirtieth street, and three of her children, Claude, aged 10 years; Minnie, aged 6, and a four-year-old baby narrowly escaped death yesterday by eating hominy purchased from a peddler.

The food was eaten at supper the night before, and nothing further was thought of it, until yesterday morning about four o'clock when the family awoke suffering excruciating pains.

Mrs. Ashley, a professional nurse was summoned and worked over her patients until 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon, when the family was pronounced out of danger.

Mrs. Norton when seen made the following statement:

"We had a very narrow escape, but I am thankful to Mrs. Ashley, for she certainly saved our lives. When I served the hominy for supper last Monday night, I noticed that it was not of the usual snow-white appearance, and each grain containing a black and blue spot; but I thought it was all right, and paid no further attention to it until I awoke yesterday morning suffering so terribly that I became dazed. I know it was the hominy that poisoned us, for I had eaten nothing else at supper, not even bread and butter. Mr. Shum, the man who sold the stuff, heard about our poisoning today and was very much alarmed. He called on us and promised faithfully never to sell any more. He eliminated that he thought there was something the matter with the hominy when he delivered it. The maize is soaked or boiled in concentrated lye while being prepared for the market, and this was not properly cleansed, and particles of the hulls still clinging to the grains. Probably through some chemical action the poison was formed."

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padding on each other's backs that is going on, they realize that they cannot avert the disaster that is surely coming, and they are now proceeding on the theory of dying in the last ditch.

It seems rather odd that the caudillo who is actually pulling the deepest Republican wire should be the one who stands the best chance of being beaten, yet everybody who understands the true inwardness of the situation realizes that such is the case. His Neighbors, of course, will not admit that defeat is coming, and on the contrary say that they are more satisfied than ever that they will win, but it is a case of Job's comfort, and they know it.

It would have been a hard enough fight for their man had no complications arisen, but with the set-to with the Governor to carry and then the signs of the insurrection as an additional handicap, the burro became too great. It is hard luck for a man to have spent about \$50,000 and get nothing in return, but then those are the fortunes of political warfare.

Though the investigation is practically ended, the full report will not be made until after the testimony has been taken of Lamberton and Dale, or, at least, the last named has telegraphed that he will be on hand Friday morning, while Dale is ready to submit to examination as soon as he gets out of the doctor's hands.

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WITNESSES GET SICK WHEN THEY ARE SUMMONED.

It is really surprising how sickness seems to be in wait for the individual who is subpoenaed to appear before an investigating committee—especially if he knows anything. Take the case of Mr. Green for example. He was around town half and hearty and up, apparently full of life and vigor when one day just after the committee had asked him some leading questions that would have been unpleasant to answer he was suddenly stricken with gastritis and has been in bed ever since. To make matters worse, it is announced that it will be fully four or five days before he is able to be on his feet again, by which time the committee will have concluded its labors and have been discharged.

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EAGAN ON THE WITNESS STAND.

Intense Mental Strain Is the Burden of His Defense.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 26.—When the Eagan court-martial re-assembled today, Judge Advocate Davis stated that he wished to submit formally the testimony of General Miles, as read yesterday, as an exhibit in this trial, and with this statement, he said, the prosecution rested its case.

Mr. Worthington, counsel for General Eagan, said several exhibits in connection with the testimony read at yesterday's session of the court. These included the correspondence between General Miles and General Eagan, through the Adjutant-General, in which the latter asked as to whether the interview published in a New York newspaper in which General Miles is alleged to have severely criticised the Commissary General's department, was an interview. Eagan said the alleged interview Eagan had also read and submitted as a part of the record.

Colonel W. L. Alexander, United States Army, of the Subsistence Department, was the first witness called by the defense. He said he returned to Washington from Jamaica on the morning of the day General Eagan gave his testimony before the War Investigation Commission. General Eagan he said was hastily going to campers in connection with his testimony, and showed signs of great excitement.

General Eagan nervously handled the papers, and witness had rarely seen a man in such a nervous condition. His manner was so exceptional that he asked Colonel Davis of the Commissary Department, who was present, whether the General was not ill. He had been intimately connected with General Eagan, but never before had he seen him in such a condition.

General Miles asked whether he had known General Eagan, and witness consulted any one as to the substance of his testimony to be presented to the commission. Colonel Alexander answered that so far as he knew General Eagan had not.

Colonel George B. Davis, assistant to Commissary General Eagan, was the next witness. He testified that he had been very closely associated with General Eagan during the last months. He was in the office the day General Miles gave his testimony before the War Investigating Commission, and as soon as General Eagan saw the published statement of his testimony he became considerably excited and wrote to General Miles asking as to the truth of an interview with General Miles that had been published in the newspaper, and L. R. Snodgely, for whom the comedy was written, created the character of the "Deacon" and made the hit of his life. A carload of scenery is carried for this production. The play has just completed a three weeks run in San Francisco.

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General Eagan himself was the next witness. He said he entered the volunteer army in 1881, and in 1886 was made a Second Lieutenant in the regular army. He then briefly gave a history of his military career, which included several campaigns against the Indians. He received a wound in the Modoc war, for which he received a brevet. During the war with Spain he had been in his office every day and with one exception, and he had worked early and late.

During his recital General Eagan saw the published statement of his testimony he became considerably excited and as he spoke very feebly: His honor as a soldier, he continued, had been attacked, and a soldier's honor should be sacred as the honor of a woman. He had lost his courage to himself. He had kept away from the clubs, and very soon he said that he could not sleep. He felt that the people of this country had come to believe that he was a dishonest man.

"But I am a honest man," said the General with feeling, "and I believe that no one who knows me will believe that I am a dishonest man. My record is clean, my uniform is unsullied, but I have been attacked, and a soldier's honor should be sacred as the honor of a woman. He had lost his courage to himself. He had kept away from the clubs, and very soon he said that he could not sleep. He felt that the people of this country had come to believe that he was a dishonest man.

The day before General Eagan appeared before the commission he read his statement to the witness, who agreed to modify it somewhat, but the witness would not do so.

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At that aristocratic and therefore general sport:

"Tell the Major that I think he has gone into training for the set-to with him that now appears inevitable. His leg development is very good, and he is not at all afraid of the Major. The Major is ever able to hit him."

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too, appeared to have a superabundance of health and vigor when 10, and he had it in mind to go to the city and committee wanted to see him, but said little matters connected with alleged bribery and he, too, sickened and could not come.

The most remarkable case on record, though, is that of M. H. De Young. While in the full vigor of middle manhood he was suddenly stricken down by a subpoena issued by the committee, and he died, the certificate narrating that his safety depended upon his keeping within the metes and bounds of the city and county of San Francisco. This is how it reads:

"San FRANCISCO, Jan. 21, 1899.

"This is to certify that Mr. M. H. De Young has been under my professional care for the last twelve days for a severe attack of the grippe. During the greater portion of this time he was confined to his home, and room, which place I visited him and prescribed for and treated him several times daily.

"Although improved, I deem it inadvisable and extremely dangerous to his health and even a risk to life for him to leave the city, as it would then be impossible for him to carry out the important work necessary for his complete restoration."

"S. S. KAHN, M. D.

"Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21st day of January, 1899.

"JOHN J. DEANE,

"Notary Public in and for the City and County of San Francisco, State of California."

Now, although this certificate was accepted by the investigating committee, it was not satisfactory, there was no name of the Major, Frank McLaughlin. The Major has been very anxious to interview Mr. De Young for some time past, in fact his desire to meet the well-known editor was so great that the day De Young was expected here he kept a man stationed at the depot to notify him of the editor's arrival so that he might give him a fitting reception when he reached the Golden Gate.

De Young's eye that caught the Major's eye as he gazed over the certificate was that the attending physician was Mr. De Young's cousin, and the notary his brother-in-law, so he decided to investigate, and in response the following letter reached town today:

"I see that General De Young sends a certificate that he is too ill to be in San Francisco, as a matter of fact, he spent last Sunday afternoon at the Golf Club near San Rafael, and put in several hours

at Needham's meetings.

Rev. George C. Needham preached to a goodly number of people at the First Baptist Church last evening, the subject being "A Blinded Brand."

The subject was handled in a most interesting manner. To-night will occur the last session of the series, the subject being "Refugees of Life," with a preface on "Christian Science." The meetings will close on Friday evening with a stenopæcian lecture on "Japan."

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SACRAMENTO, Jan. 26.—Rev. Father J. J. Hines of Woodland died today at the Sisters' Hospital in this city. He was one of the oldest and best known priests in Northern California.

Special Services.

At the First Hebrew Congregation Friday evening at 7:45, special services with music, will take place, the occasion being a tribute of esteem to the fallen soldiers and sailors in the defense of the American flag in the recent Spanish-American war.

This "soldiers' memorial service" is given in compliance with an appeal sent out by the "National Monument Committee" having in charge the erection of the monument to the men who were hurled to destruction in the Maine tragedy and to our soldier and sailor heroes of the Cuban and Manila battles. Rabbi Friedlander will preach on "Our Patriotism in Deed."

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LOS ANGELES, Jan. 26.—George Curran, the escaped lunatic who miserably assaulted Ex-Councilman Earl when he refused him, has become violently insane. A charge of insanity was filed this morning, and he will be examined to-morrow. He is a raving maniac today, and has been placed in a padded cell.

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HE IS LAID IN THE GRAVE.

JONES PAID HUSH MONEY.

Impressive Obsequies He Feared That He Was Going to Be Exposed.

William P. Toler, the man who was the agent of the United States in taking possession of California for the general Government fifty-three years ago, now sleeps beneath a little mound in St. Mary's Catholic Cemetery in this city, where his remains were laid to rest this morning at 11 o'clock. Around the grave were gathered a few relatives and friends of the family of the deceased, some survivors of the war with Mexico and several others members of the California Pioneers, who, with the deceased, had been among the advance guard which extended the methods and civilization of the East into the land of the Golden West.

It was the wish of the family of the deceased that the obsequies should be conducted with as little ostentation as possible, and that wish was respected to the letter. There might have been a lavish display of floral wealth, but, instead, discriminating simplicity prevailed. Upon the casket were placed sheaves of wheat, sprays of violets and clusters of chrysanthemums, while about the bier floral designs, bearing in immortelles the legends "Father," "At Peace," "Rest," etc., but they were the tender offerings of members of the family and close associates of the deceased.

The funeral cortège, for the reason above specified, was limited also. It left the home of the deceased, 542 Twenty-eighth street, at 8:30 o'clock this morning and reached the Church of the Immaculate Conception, Telegraph and Eighth streets shortly before 10 o'clock.

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NEBRASKA'S BALLOTS.

LINCOLN, Neb., Jan. 26.—Hayward lost two more votes today, which went to Field. The vote was as follows: Allen (Populist) 57, Haywood 39, Webster 10, Thompson 7, Weston 5, Reese 2, Foss 2, Field 2, Van Duzen 1, Lumberton 1, Hinshaw 1, Cornish 1, Valentine 1, Adams 1. All Republicans. Total, 130; necessary, 66.

NO CHANGE IN WISCONSIN.

MADISON, Wis., Jan. 26.—There was no change in the Senatorial situation today. The two houses met in joint convention and cast one ballot. The vote was as yesterday, except that there were one or two absences.

ONE BALLOT IN WASHINGTON.

OLYMPIA, Wash., Jan. 26.—One ballot was taken today for United States Senator, as follows: Foster 25, Wilson 26, Humes 20, Ankeny 9, Lewis 23, Bridges 1.

FOUR BALLOTS IN UTAH.

SALT LAKE, Jan. 26.—The Legislature took four ballots today and adjourned until tomorrow. The last ballot was McCune (D.), 26, King (D.) 14, Cannon 7, Nobeket (D.) 1, McCormick (R.) 13, Sutherland (R.) 1, absent 1; necessary, 32.

IN MONTANA.

HELENA, Mont., Jan. 26.—Fifteenth Senatorial ballot: Clark 40, Conrad 30, Magnin 8, Fox 1, Grubl (R.) 35. Necessary, 48. Grand Jury reported today on bribery charged in the evidence on which to base a true bill.

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THURSDAY.....JANUARY 26, 1899.

George "Knight" might appropriately be considered a dark horse in the Senatorial race.

The crop outlook throughout California is reported as "never better." We will have all kinds of money here a few months from now.

A Chicago drummer has been arrested for having seven wives. A man possessing that much nerve ought to be a success in his particular line of business.

Eagan pleads guilty in having used the vile language attributed to him. He will find it hard work to justify himself for his conduct, and no one will be sorry if the court-martial gives him a good, sound overhauling.

While the Sacramentans are tackling their anti-extrication ordinance they ought to extend its scope and include human eyes in the prohibited list. They evidently need such an injunction, judging by the incidents of the other night.

A man who claimed to have invented an airship, and who slipped out of an Ohio town where he raised \$50,000 to back his enterprise, has been arrested in Chicago. He did not have a cent in his pocket, all the money having gone in riotous living. He certainly did his best to "fly high."

The Democrats are probably going into the municipal campaign just for the sake of keeping their hands in. They certainly won't take a trich this year with the kind of cards they are holding. Diamonds are trumps, and they haven't any—a prosperity deal invariably finds them out of them.

Brigham Roberts wants to know what the people really think of him he ought to take a tour around the country. There is scarcely a city in the United States in which an attack of some description has not been made upon him, and if the women could get at him—well, he'd wish he wore a wig instead of his own hair.

California has lots of company as regards having trouble in selecting her United States Senator. Deadlocks exist in Pennsylvania, Delaware, Wisconsin, Nebraska, Montana, Utah and Washington, while Nevada has only just squandered her contest out. The best proof of the value of the prizes at stake is the terrific struggles being made for them.

OAKLAND WOMEN'S SAGACITY

The Tribune has taken so deep and, we trust, helpful an interest in the movement of Oakland's women for the vindication of the sanctity of the American home, that we cannot now dismiss that topic without a further word.

At the mass meeting, which brought the culmination of that movement, a singularly practical and effective step was taken. The ladies prepared a petition for presentation to Vinton Metcalf, our new member of Congress, asking him and the body of which he is a member, in the name of the American home, to exclude the representative of Utah polygamy from Congress. This petition our women have undertaken to circulate among the voters of this city.

This is a notably shrewd way of gaining force and a hearing for a movement and a phase of public opinion which some of these ladies felt might else be ignored as a mere passing ebullition of sentiment.

It also fulfills the promise that one of the organizers of this movement gave The Tribune, to place the responsibility as to their exercise of political influence. We trust that their interest and zeal in carrying out this plan will not flag. We command their petition for the signatures of Oakland men. The men of America and the men of Oakland have never failed to rally for the protection of the home, and they will not fail it now.

And we command the example and the sagacity of Oakland's women for the emulation of women elsewhere and elsewhere.

DISTINGUISHED IMPERIALIST.

To those Americans who have never done anything for their country except, according to Jerry Cruncher, "stop against" its natural and irresistible expansion, the Oakland Tribune begs leave to present the case of Admiral George Dewey.

Admiral Dewey, by the way, is a personage who has earned some right to be heard by this nation on matters relating to its dignity and welfare. His services saved the Pacific Coast from menace and from possible devastation by Monitor's fleet, to say nothing of his general service to humanity by quickly putting an end to a great war in the most approved and bloodless manner. Until at least Admiral Dewey shall have given the American people cause to doubt his wisdom and the breadth and quality of his motives, it may be assumed that his opinions are entitled to respectful consideration and a hearing by the nation that his genius has honored, advanced and in a sense preserved.

Admiral Dewey has written from Manila, the scene of his imperishable naval achievement, not to mention his several following delicate and successful diplomatic services, a letter to the editor of the London "British Realm," which is so brief that it may well be presented here in its entirety. It is:

After many years of wandering, I have come to the conclusion that the silent factor in the civilization of the world is the Imperial policy of England.

Without expanding on this text, the Tribune would like to leave it with those of its friends who are using the ghost of a so-called "Imperialism" to conjure with.

The Legislature is going to try to suppress the poolroom evil, if possible, a bill having been introduced prohibiting the selling of pools elsewhere than on racetracks where the contests take place. That is about the only way the evil can be crowded out, for every municipal ordinance passed either proves to have loopholes in it or else is disregarded altogether. With a State law in effect, things might be different.

Alameda county should most assuredly make a bid for the rural mail service that is about to be inaugurated in other parts of the State. Way boxes at central points along the county roads and a system whereby mail could be delivered along all the main highways would mean incalculable benefits to farmers and country residents. We could certainly appreciate such an improvement just as thoroughly as those dwelling in other counties.

Supervisor Church's ordinance for the better protection of game in Alameda county is a good measure. The rapid settlement of the State is driving the game away quite fast enough without having to subject it to slaughter in what should be the close season. If we don't protect what game we have, the day is not far distant when we won't have any at all.

DELAY IN THE MAIL SERVICE.

The criticisms on the postal service between San Francisco and this city have become so general that Postmaster Friend has begun an investigation with a view of determining where the fault lies. It has been claimed that an unnecessary length of time is consumed in forwarding letters from one city to the other. In speaking of the matter, Postmaster Friend said: "I am anxious to make an investigation and ascertain the cause of this delay. But to make the investigation I must have the co-operation of the people who claim their letters have been too long in getting across the bay." He added that when he delayed a letter was received with the time of reception indorsed on its face, should be sent to him and he would determine the cause of delay.

BRAKEMAN MAY LOSE HIS FOOT.

While coupling cars at the Narrow Gauge Niles yesterday, James Stocker, a brakeman had the misfortune to get his foot caught in such a manner that it was badly crushed. He was removed to Fabiola Hospital where Doctors Olmsted and Melges dressed the injured member. Melges dressed there is some doubt as to the outcome, the physicians are endeavoring to save the foot.

An Insolvent's Account.

Max Marcus, assignee of H. L. Condie, an insolvent grocer, has filed his report. He took charge of the insolvent's property for silver medals. March 7, 1898. It was appraised at \$1,200. From the sale of the good he realized \$868 net. This with \$720 in collections made a total of \$940.20. Deducting \$200 for commissions, a balance of \$940.70 remains. The aggregate of claims presented amounts to \$4,021.61.

The schedule committee of the Oakland Golf Club has arranged a series of contests for both lady and gentleman players. The first tournament will be played on February 4th and the final on May 6th. Besides these the contests with the San Francisco Golf Club take place in April. The summer series or games have not yet been scheduled. The following is the program for the spring games:

February 4th, tournament for the Tibbitt's cup. February 11th, tournament for ladies' cup (fourth event). February 18th, mixed foursomes, for club members. February 25th, open competition handicap. March 4th, men's foursomes for club members. March 11th, mixed play handicap for club cup. March 18th, putting and driving contests for ladies' and gentlemen for silver medals. March 25th, ladies' handicap, match play. April 1st, match in Oakland with San Francisco Club. April 8th, match in San Francisco with San Francisco Club. April 15th, tournament for ladies' cup. April 22d, tournament for captain's cup. May 6th, tournament for Tibbitt's cup.

Hood's Pills

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GEN. LEE TOURS THE PROVINCE.

He Assures the Cubans of America's Good Faith.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

NEW YORK, Jan. 26.—A dispatch to the Tribune from Havana says:

General Lee returned to camp tonight from a trip to the southeastern part of the province, ending at Guines, which is the next largest town after Havana. The journey to Guines was made with a team of mules along the highway, and the return by rail. The battalion of the Fourth Illinois preceded General Lee and was encamped there upon his arrival. A battalion of the Second Louisiana reached Guines before his departure. The American troops were welcomed everywhere, and their presence was made the occasion of demonstrations. General Lee received an enthusiastic welcome at Guines. Insurgent troops escorted him, and the town was decorated with American and Cuban flags.

A public reception was given in the Council chamber to General Lee, who took advantage of the occasion to explain his functions, which he was delighted with as Military Governor of the province. He said he was exercising functions which pertained to the temporary military occupancy; that the American soldiers came as guests, that there was no permanent government of the part of the United States Government to interfere with the Cubans in the management of the affairs of the island; that its only purpose was to carry out the pledge of maintaining order and to assist in the administration until the time when the people were ready to declare for themselves what their wishes were. He counseled toleration of all classes toward one another, and complimented the community on the good order which had been preserved.

General Lee also explained how relations were being described by doctors of the island. He said the Cubans' disease was fully understood, and the American authorities hoped to adopt measures of permanent effect. He hoped ultimately to see the establishment of agricultural banks. Personally he favored making a loan of oxen and seed to the poor so that they could put in next season's crop.

Regarding local affairs, General Lee said it was the policy of the American authorities to have the towns select as far as possible their own officials by getting together and indicating whom they desired. Then he would make appointments in conformity with their wishes. He also advised them to change their municipal regulations to meet the new conditions.

General Lee's speech was received in excellent spirit. Various positions were presented to him. The Spanish colony, in a formal document, made known its satisfaction with the insurgent soldiers for preserving order. General Lee will make trips to other parts of the province. He received many private assurances that as soon as arrangements are made for their payment the insurgent troops will disband without trouble.

The practice marches of the battalions have been quite beneficial and will be continued. General Lee has practically decided to move a full brigade from its present camp near Havana to the hills of Cucutia, close to Guines. The location is unusually healthy.

Collector Bliss has written a letter to General Menocal, requesting that he indicate definitely his preference among the Cubans recommended for places in the Custom House. The understanding was that Menocal should endorse applications so as to give a guarantee of appointments satisfactory to the Cubans. Several hundred such endorsements have already been paid, and Menocal has so far refused to make more specific recommendations between individuals.

Colonel Ells wants him to take a more direct responsibility.

The Havana newspapers are all agitating the question of the payment of the insurgent troops. They want a definite plan adopted. As an expression of the wishes of the Cuban people, the papers reflecting Spanish sentiments support the proposition.

The Government transport Michigan arrived last night with fifty tons of refrigerated beef for the army. Unloading was begun in a heavy rain, and one-fourth of the beef was spoiled. The representative of Swift & Co. refused to accept it for delivery to the troops, and the beef was thrown back on the Government.

Current financial investments on a large scale are now taking the form of real estate transfers. The statement is made that H. M. Frazier has acquired property for the erection of a large hotel.

CAPTAIN BECKETT OF STANFORD IS DEAD.

George M. Beckett, captain of the Stanford Baseball team, died yesterday morning at Palo Alto after a brief illness. Beckett was taken ill on Tuesday last week. On Friday Dr. Stillman of San Francisco was summoned. He at once pronounced the case one of appendicitis and operated on the patient but it was too late. Peritonitis had set in and continued to spread through the system until the end came. Captain Beckett's death cast a gloom over the entire country where he was known as a fine student and a colleague of considerable merit. The remains will be taken to his home at Arroyo Grande for interment.

The long standing suit of John Overton against H. C. Babcock, assignee of the estate of William L. Wilson, was on trial in Judge Hall's court yesterday. The suit was brought two years ago to quiet title to the property. Since that time the case has been in the courts, but has never been settled on account of the intervention of legal technicalities.

Both the plaintiff and defendant admit that W. L. Wilson was owner of the property in 1888. In April of that year he executed a deed to the property to Priscilla Birch.

The plaintiff claims that Wilson went through insolvency and deeded away his property to hinder and delay collection by his creditors, and that by his action his wife, Jessie Wilson, was deprived of her rights to the property.

Later Mrs. Wilson also died. The property was conveyed by Priscilla Birch to the present plaintiff, John Overton, in July of 1888. From this fact the plaintiff desires to quiet title to the property.

The defendant claims title from the same source. It is maintained that the title should be vested in W. L. Wilson's estate.

The plaintiff's case was presented by Attorney Harry Miller, assisted by Judge O. P. Evans, J. H. Meredith and William Craig.

The defense is represented by Wells Whitmore, assisted by Fisher Ames and Fred E. Whitney.

DEATH OF ECCENTRIC WOMAN AT TEMSCAL.

Miss E. C. Rich, who died on Tuesday morning in Temescal, left a very remarkable collection of pets as her estate. Twenty dogs, a number of birds, three goats and a horse were found on the premises after her death.

For two days before her death, Miss Rich was too ill to feed her pets, and the consequence was that the animals were so

STABBED BY A SCHOOL BOY. Teacher Fatally Cut While Punishing a Pupil.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

ALBANY, Mo., Jan. 26.—T. B. Hunter, a teacher in the Adams school, twelve miles northeast of here, has been fatally stabbed by a 13-year-old pupil named Charles Ayers, whom he was whipping.

The boy is in jail here.

According to the statement of the pupil, Hunter was punishing Ayers by holding a switch close to his face, bending back and allowing it to snap against him. The switch almost drew the blood every time.

Suddenly the boy whipped out a jack-knife and made a slash at the teacher's throat. The blade struck beneath the left ear and was drawn half around the neck, cutting a frightful gash.

The children all fled from the school after the stabbing, and Hunter was left some time without assistance.

PERSONAL AND SOCIAL.

Miss Amy Corder is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Metcalf of Sacramento.

Albert Spence of Santa Clara is visiting in this city.

A. J. Hinds has returned from Santa Cruz.

Secretary Davis of the Board of Regents of the U. S. is spending a vacation at Palm Springs near Riverside for the benefit of his health.

Mrs. J. D. Courtney of Napa is the guest of her son in this city.

Colonel Park Henshaw and Mrs. Henshaw are spending a few days in Chico.

Mrs. May Thompson of San Francisco is the guest of Mrs. R. H. Magill of Alameda.

Miss May Brink of Alameda has returned from Tracy where she was visiting her brother Henry Brink.

J. H. Sawyer has returned to Galt after a visit of five months in this city.

Mrs. S. D. Atkinson of Berkeley is the guest of Mrs. E. H. Humphrey of San Jose.

Mrs. Lewis F. Sherbourne was recently the guest of Mrs. John Sherbourne of Dunville.

Dr. M. Tracy of East Oakland is expected to return soon from the East where he went on business.

Mrs. E. R. Bennett of East Oakland is confined to her home by illness.

B. E. Swim has gone to Stockton where he has secured a position.

Dr. E. S. Chapman is in Fresno. He is touring the State lecturing upon the anti-saloon question.

The ladies of the First Unitarian Church of Alameda will give an entertainment on January 31st. It will consist of graduation exercises patterned after the style of those of forty years ago.

A social and dance will be given by the butchers of Alameda Tuesday evening at Encinal Hall for the benefit of Harry Farron.

E. J. Townsend, W. H. Hayden and B. H. Buzzo are registered at the Imperial Stockton.

Miss Cecilia Heas of Vallejo was recently visiting friends in this city.

BROUGHT TO TRIAL AFTER MANY YEARS.

Walter Starr and Harry French left this morning on the Wells-Wells for Alaska. A number of their friends from the U. S. escorted them to the pier to bid them good bye.

WALTER, KENNEDY & CO., Toledo, O.</

WORK AMONG RAILROAD MEN. EXPERT MORGAN'S REPORT.

Many Changes Made at the Oakland Mole.

Pay Car Brings Coin to the Railroad Employees.

Reckless Accounting During Fair's Incumbency.

Change Suggested in School Board Accounts.

The presence of the pay car made things lively in railroad circles Wednesday. All day long a line of men filed through the rear door while the car stood in the West Oakland yards. It was nearly 6 o'clock when the last man received his envelope. The car was then taken to the mole, and after the crew there had been paid, proceeded on its way over the division.

AT THE MOLE.

The alterations at the mole have progressed so far that, at 10 o'clock Wednesday forenoon, the new local system was inaugurated, and henceforth all local and suburban trains will arrive and depart on the south side of the mole.

With the exception of the Haywards local and alternating system will be used. That is to say, on one trip the trains will depart from one section of tracks and return from another. As both sets of tracks are only separated by an iron fence and are, therefore, close together, it will be but a short time until all commuters and patrons of these trains will become accustomed to the new system, which they will find vastly superior to the old.

It will require the services of a number of extra guards for a few days to keep the men from becoming confused. When the people have turned loose on the south side for the first time they hardly knew what to do, but Superintendent James Agler was on hand with a number of men to see that every one was taken care of.

Under the new arrangement, the central portion of the depot will be devoted exclusively to outgoing trains. Incoming trains will use the tracks at the extreme right of the new depot, while that portion opposite the old restaurant will be used for handling baggage, express and fast freight.

The painters and robers have nearly finished their work, and will have completed their labors by Saturday night.

Alvin B. Clute, president of the Union Painting and Contracting Company, is personally superintending the laying of the additional rock work.

The new building to be occupied by the restaurant and other departments is completed, and the different departments were moved in this week. The news department will occupy the western end of the ground floor, the Fullman Palace Car Company the upper floor, and the restaurant the eastern end of the ground floor.

O. F. Rooney, proprietor of the restaurant, moved into his new quarters Thursday. He has fitted up his apartments in a manner that will be appreciated by his patrons. A large ladies' dining-room will be one of the features, while the bar and lunch room will be entirely separated from it.

General Foreman, D. P. Kellogg's, is still fully engaged with the alterations and repairs on the car system.

While nothing definite is known as yet as to the time of the arrival of the new equipment, the new crews are being rapidly selected. Everything is being made ready so that when needed there will be no delay in getting desirable men.

IN THE SHOPS.

The rush of work in the shops continues, with no prospect of an abatement at present. The new machinery ordered from the East has not arrived except for the blacksmith shop. The new boiler house is ready to receive the new boilers, which are being built at Sacramento. The round house is crowded and nearly as many engines are received outside as inside.

The result of this condition is a prospect of a large addition being built on the

near future. Now that all the engine repair work is being done in the West Oakland shops, it means the presence of a larger number of locomotives than was anticipated when the round house was built.

A new compound compressor for the gas house has just arrived from the East. It will be installed within a couple of weeks, when the capacity of the gas works will be doubled.

Engine No. 1716, which has just been

turned out of the shop after a most

thorough overhauling, took its first run

Thursday night, when it took out one

section of the empty train which

brought the men who were to depart

for Manzanita Friday.

THE BAY CITY.

The work on the steamer Bay

City is being pushed to completion as

rapidly as possible. Already it looks

like another boat, and when it leaves

the ways it will not be recognizable.

The work on the upper deck will soon

be finished, and the repairs to her

machinery. The walking beam has not

been received yet, but it will be here

by the time it is needed.

The repairs on the El Cadiuan are

nearly completed, and it will soon be in

service again.

PERSONALS.

Joseph R. Jones, employed as a switchman in the yards, has been on the sick

list for several days.

P. J. Milin has returned from Los An-

geles, where he went for his health. He

is in much improved that he returned to

his position as gang foreman in the nu-

choline shop Thursday.

Rene W. Cuveller, son of Councilman

C. C. Cuveller, an apprentice in the ma-

chine shops, has been transferred to Ra-

mondo, where he will serve the balance

of his apprenticeship in the draughting

room.

George D. Welch, head foreman of the

machine shop, who has been very sick,

is so far recovered that he is back at his

old stand again looking pale and thin as a

result of his illness.

Joe W. Hinckley has returned from his

hunting in San Joaquin county.

He brought an abundance of waterfowl as

trophies of his outing. Some of his fel-

low workmen are unthick enough to inti-

mate and even suggest that Joe bought

most of his game.

While superintending some urgent re-

pairs to the turn table during the recent

heavy weather, Bert Robison contracted

a cold which resulted in a slight attack of

grip. He is all right again.

Eugene Minor, one of the most popular

men in the shops, has purchased a tandem

bicycle. He is now being "joshed" con-

siderably, as his fellow workmen think it indicates that he is contemplating

marriage.

Arthur Jackson has returned from his

hunting on the Sacramento river. He

has little to say about his success.

John Bishop, who has been in charge of

Fred Matheson's gang temporarily, will

finish his work this week. He will then

assume his duties as superintendent of

construction of the new Webster street

bridge.

Edward Hunter, one of the employees on

the bay freight transport Transit, was the

recipient of a handsome gold watch Sat-

urday, a reward from the company for

his brave act during the recent storm

when the freight boat was blown on the

rocks in the estuary.

When the steamer was in great danger

and the storm was raging Hunter swam

across the estuary, scaled the sea wall,

and making his way to the nearest tele-

graph station, had the line to the way to

the rescue. The steamer was towed out of

danger, and Division Superintendent

James Agler informed the officers of the

company of Hunter's act. The result was the

presentation of a beautiful timepiece.

Berkeley yesterday to conduct a farm-

ers' institute at Selma.

ALAMEDA NEWS.

ALAMEDA, Jan. 26.—George S. Amet, the bigamist, who was supposed to be a fugitive in Mexico, is now

supposed to be lying low somewhere

in Alameda. Any information re-

garding him is to be sent to the Alameda

Free Library has been received and

following close as it goes upon the

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no vacancy on the board, it looks as if Amet were near at hand

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ter of resignation is as follows:

To the Honorable Board of the Al-

ameda Library Trustees—Dear Sirs: I

hereby inclose my resignation of the

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GEORGE S. AMET.

Amesbury, Mass., January 9, 1899.

The letter was received a week ago,

but was not made public until yes-

terday. The Board of Trustees held a

special meeting Tuesday night and

elected Edwin R. Anthony as suc-

cessor to Amet.

Next Tuesday afternoon at 3:45

o'clock Major Robert H. Noble, Al-

de-Camp to General Shafter, will lecture

at the University before the senior

military class upon the fight at

Santiago. Major Noble was in the

battle, and his address will be an

interesting one. The lecture will

be given in Room 18, North Hall.

The sophomore class of the State Uni-

versity has nominated the officers for

the present term. President, F. L.

Mulgrew; vice-president, C. L. Bigelow;

second vice-president, O. C. Flaz;

secretary, L. L. Gale; treasurer, J. H.

Steinhart; sergeant-at-arms, W. R.

Eakewell; executive committee, G.

Moran; C. L. Allen, C. R. Hinck, J. E.

Gustafson, Miss E. M. Scott. The

election will be held next Friday.

A camp of Sons of Veterans is to be

organized in Berkeley. W. G. Walk-

er, senior vice-commander of the di-

vision of California, has begun the

work of organization.

Professors D. T. Fowler and M. E.

BILL JONES

wanted to rent an unfurnished house, wanted to buy furniture, a piano, etc., wanted to borrow money, and wanted help and he got what he

WANTED

MARY JANE

Wanted to take Music Lessons, etc., and found a good Teacher by referring to the Advertiser under heading "Educational and Musical."

If you want anything, you will find it an easy matter to obtain it by referring to the Classified Page of The Tribune.

Those having advertisements to insert on the Classified Page will find it convenient to take them to the following Branch Offices, from where they will be forwarded to The Tribune.

MISS M. E. BURDICK'S Notion Store, P. O. building, 2806 Telegraph Avenue.

GARRETT & TAGGART'S Drug Store, junction San Pablo Avenue and Fourth Street.

JACKSON'S Pharmacy, 1737 Seventh Street, West Oakland.

A. L. LEBER'S Drug and Stationery Store, 832-834 Seventh Street.

VOICE & KOERTNER'S Grocery, Thirteenth Street and Telegraph Avenue.

WENTWORTH'S Drug Store, corner of Thirteenth Avenue and Fourteenth Street, East Oakland.

J. L. WESTLAKE'S Emeryville Pharmacy, San Pablo and Park Avenues.

GENERAL NOTICES.

HOTEL VENDOME, 8228 Washington Street, Sunny rooms, and excellent meals 35c; five tickets \$1; Sunday chicken dinner \$2; board and room \$5 per month and up; dining room entrance 50 Ninth St. N. L. Foster & Co.

CONSULTATION FREE—Successful treatment. Dr. A. Shirke, 83 San Pablo Ave., Oakland, Cal.

TAXIDERMIST—H. F. Lorraine, 1061 Clay Street.

YOUR watch to L. E. Akerman, expert watchmaker, 54 Wash., nth. 7th.

NEW DRUG STORE—At 1335 Fifth Avenue, J. H. Heath, a thoroughly reliable druggist, will appreciate your patronage.

INVALIDS—Try the electric steam bath, 561 Washington; it far exceeds the use of drugs; one trial will convince you.

FIX UP your old chairs and furniture with Shawin-Williams Varnish Stain; an old chair can be seen at A. Rittigstein & Co.'s, 215 Broadway.

SAVILLE'S CHEAP SHOE, 612 Seventh; show 15c to \$1.50. Repairing at low prices.

REMOVAL—Pioneer Parlor for moving at 46 San Pablo Ave., has fitted up new apartments at 35 San Pablo Avenue, next Reliance building. Parties and banquets supplied with choice cutlery. Poultry bought and sold, exchanged.

FUEL WEIGHT and measure in wood, coal, coke, charcoal, hay, grain, lime and coal oil at the Union Fuel and Feed Yard, 850 Union Street. Carl J. Jacobson, proprietor. Phone red 1591.

BAY CITY FLOUR THE BEST—Manufactured by patent roller process; also in stock all kinds of seed and millstuffs, such as whole wheat flour, farina, oatmeal, rolled oats, cornmeal, cracked wheat, rye flour, rye meal, steel cut oatmeal, graham, oat and buckwheat groats, hominy, rolled wheat, germ meal, etc.; ask your grocer for Bay City flour and meal. J. C. Westphal & Son.

ALLA FORTRAIT and Paper Flower Co. Frames, lamp shades and paper flowers made; pictures enlarged; largest paper flower stock; all kinds fancy work done; prices 25 per cent lower; all work guaranteed; your patronage respectfully solicited. 811 San Pablo Ave.

THOS. REEVES, practical gardener. Orders promptly attended to, day, week or month; reasonable; 837 Jackson.

RHEUMATISM positively cured by the Harmonic vibrator. 288 Powell, S. F.

STEAM and Medicated Baths, room 8, 1300 Broadway. Mrs. Mrs. Wilson-Stockman, Residence 527 Seventeenth.

SEE Excelsior Redwood Co. for cut on prices in doors and windows; also round hoop tanks. 612 Broadway.

REMOVED—Louis Kahns has removed his plumbing and tanning shop from 405 Ten St. to 580 Franklin St., where he will be pleased to see his old patrons; galvanized iron skylights, specialty; slate roofs; sheet iron work; metal roofing.

LEDERER, the hairdresser, charges but 25c pompadour; hair rolls reduced from 50c to 35c for the largest and best; switches \$1. Mr. Lederer's Foam Shampoo Pkg., 123 Stockton S. F.

SAVE Your Clothes—Suits cleaned and pressed 5c; monthly contract (suit a week) \$1.25. M. Rusler, McConib & Co., 401 Tenth; phone main 866.

OAKLAND Window Cleaning Co., 512 Seventeenth St.; order box S. W. 1212 Broadway; cleaning show cases, looking glasses, shadow paints, doors scrubbed, etc.; contracts by week or month; phone 62 Main. G. Figone.

MRS. L. WILDS has reopened at 21 Tenth Ave., with a complete stock of fresh candy.

ORANGE FRUIT, rich wedding and McKinley cake constantly on hand. Mrs. A. E. Allen, 28 Telegraph Ave. (upstairs).

FIRST CLASS sign and carriage painting; also fence painting, by J. Alford & F. Smith, artist painters, 656 Eighth Street.

AUCTIONEERS—Oakland Auction Co., Oscar S. Meyers & Son, 402 Twelfth St., Mr. Broadway; sales at private homes a specialty; see us; tel. blue 871.

FURNITURE—Oakland Auction Co. pays the most cash for furniture and goods of all kinds. 465 Twelfth St. near Broadway; pay blue 871; get our figures.

JOSEPH SPADARO, first-class tailor, suits cleaned and pressed for 75c; laundry in one day. 228 San Pablo Avenue.

H. G. CRAFTS, collection agency, Office 1115 Broadway, Oakland, Cal.

PRIZE given away free daily at 62 San Pablo Avenue, where jewelry, bracelets, etc., are auctioned every day and night.

FURS—F. A. Schaeffer, practical furrier, 224 San Pablo Ave., does all kinds of work; give him a call.

HAG CARPETS, rugs, silk portieres were to order and for sale. G. Matthews, 706 Fifth Street.

OAKLAND Tent and Awning Co., 835 Twelfth Street. Flags made; floor covers, rents. Tel. 584 Green.

CO. TRACTORS AND BUILDERS

LUCAS, HALL & CO., Builders and general contractors, engineers and builders of all kinds of bridge work; piers and wharf building. 405 Lucas St., Oakland; telephone 514.

OSTEOPATHY.

DRS. PLUMB and McDaniel have dissolved partnership. Dr. Plumb can be seen as usual at 1056 Franklin Street, Blake block.

HOUSES FOR SALE.

R. M. ANTHONY, 468 Ninth St., \$1,500—Cottage, six rooms, lot 50x100, central; \$100 down; \$100 per month.

\$7,000—Two-story, 12x12; house 9 rooms; furnace, stable, boiler, house; lot 100x150; cash \$2,000; worth \$12,000.

\$10,000—Very central; house six rooms; lot 40x125; rents \$25.

\$10,500—Modern cottage, five rooms; lot 140; \$220 cash.

\$10,000—Modern cottage, five rooms; lot 25x125; rents \$25.

REAL ESTATE

\$1,000—New house of nine rooms, modern in every appointment, stable; large lot, on good street, near Telegraph ave., electric cars and within few minutes' walk of local trains; further particulars at office, A. J. SAMUEL & CO., 488 Ninth street.

\$5,000—Modern house, twelve rooms, built two years ago at a cost of over \$5,000; no better location in Oakland; owner is compelled to sell; do not fail to see this, A. J. SAMUEL & CO., 488 Ninth street.

\$2,000—Modern cottage, five rooms and bath; within few minutes' walk of City Hall; neighborhood unexcelled. A. J. SAMUEL & CO., 488 Ninth street.

\$2,500—Two story house, six rooms and bath; within three minutes' walk Broad- way station; location worth the price. A. J. SAMUEL & CO., 488 Ninth street.

If you desire property in other sections of Oakland it will pay you to call at our office for the up-to-date. A. J. SAMUEL & CO., 488 Ninth street.

THE FAMOUS
ADAMS' POINT PROPERTY

—In the

HEART OF OAKLAND.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

We announce the offering of the first subdivision of the famous "Adams' Point Property."

Thousands all over the State have picnicked under and admired the magnificent old oaks during the past years of this property. All the streets are shaded with oaks, and macadamized; ocean walks are now being laid; ornamental shade trees will be planted; in fact, every lot free of cost to purchasers; gas and water pipes are laid on both sides of every street; this property is surrounded by the residences of Senator George C. Perkins, Chas. M. Cooke, Frank C. Hayes, W. W. Whittier, Dr. George Zahn, Chas. Oneal, Dr. Coffin, Dr. John L. Howard and many other fine homes; a combination of lake, bay, hill and city views such as no other property commands; lots are from 120 to 150 feet deep; no improvements of less value than \$3,000 allowed; prices from \$20 to \$50 per front foot; special prices and special terms will be made with the first twenty purchasers.

Call at once while you can have the best selection.

Carries to show the property always ready. Send for illustrated souvenir containing views on and about the property.

LAKE SHORE LAND CO.

A. H. BREED, Manager, 1070 Broadway, Oakland.

THE E. P. VANDERCOOK CO.,
488 NINTH STREET.

\$2,750—Comfortable cottage of six rooms lot 214x100 on San Pablo ave., near Twenty-fifth st.; future business property.

\$12,000—Fifteen acres fine fruit land; very desirable for subdivision into residence lots; comfortable house; barn; fruit trees, etc.; situated in Seminary Park near road to San Leandro.

\$2,000—Simpson ave., near Grove st., lot 40x100; comfortable cottage of six rooms; and bath; easy payment very cheap.

\$1,200—Two story house of seven rooms lot 80x90, Center st. near Fourteenth terms easy.

Property of all kinds, business, residence inside and outside, at the lowest prices.

THE E. P. VANDERCOOK CO.,
488 NINTH STREET.

OFFICIAL RECORDS.

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 25, 1899.

DEEDS.

Jan. 19, 1899—Walter C. & Alma J. Beside to W. D. Webster, Old, N. W. Orange st. 90 SW Morrison pl SW 35 x NW 99, being 46' ENE 20' pl. lot 40 and SW 5' pl. lot 41 blk B, Oakland View Hd. lot 10.

Aug. 10, 1897—Oscar & Margaret Clifff, Charlotte & Elizabeth S. Clifff, Old, N. W. 12th st. 125 W. Clay st. W. 25 x N 100, being the W. 4th lot 5 blks 270, Casserly lot, gift.

Aug. 10, 1897—Same to Charlotte Clifff, Old, S. W. 13th st. 110 D. Campbell E. 25 S. 125; SE Everts or W. 13th and Wood st. E. 02-2 S. 6 blks 271, A. Old Pt. Hd. lot; N. 34-100 W. Brush st. W. 25 x N 100, being 46' ENE 20' pl.

Aug. 10, 1897—Same to Elizabeth S. Clifff, E. Old, N. W. 13th lot 100 NW 11th av. N. 35 x N. 100 blks 26, Clinton, Old, S. W. 13th st. 180 E. Campbell st. E. 25 x S. 125, being 10' 6 blks 481, Adeline and Market st. Hd. gift.

Jan. 6, 1899—Wilhelm F. Sagnhorn to Waldemar A. Schmidt, Old, Anx. N. Ap. 100, E. Grove st. E. 25 N. 102-39 W. 25-08 S. 104-39, being 10' 6 blks 100, being lot 4, Hirschfeld lot, \$500.

Jan. 24, 1899—Wm. H. Wing to John Schunk, E. Henry st. 240 N. Rose st. N. 80 x E. 125, being the S. 80 x 60' 6 blks 20, Bixby Villa Assn lot, \$1000.

Jan. 20, 1899—Mary E. Hobson to T. B. Draper, Alta. N. San Jose lot 107 E. W. 11th st. 20 x 130, being the W. 40' 6' lot 107 N. 4th blks 271, Foothill Hd. lot 100.

Jan. 18, 1899—John H. Heard to Mary J. Hearst, Old, Anx. Lots 31 and 22 blks G. Gaskill, Addin. to Parsons Golden Gate lot, \$10.

Jan. 7, 1899—Flattland, Ada Law to E. E. Marsh, Bixby, Lots 19 and 21 blks 12, Daley's Scent Park, lot. To correct former lot 19.

Jan. 11, 1899—E. B. Marsh to Henry C. Thomas, Bixby, Lots 18 and 20 blks 12, same lot, \$100.

Jan. 25, 1899—Margaret Nealon to John M. Whitworth, Bixby, NE Chan- neling way and Ellsworth st. E. 130 x N 100, being pt. lot 1 blks 12, College Hd. lot, sub. to mtgs. \$10.

Nov. 1, 1898—John H. Bush w. S. F. to Kate H. Bush w. D. A. N. D. lot 100, E. 15th st. E. 50 x N. 110, being lot 4, Hirschfeld lot, \$500.

MORTGAGES.

Jan. 15, 1899—Wm. D. Worster to Continental B. & L. Assn, Old, NW Orange st. 90 SW Morrison pl SW 35 x NW 99 blks B. Old, Oak View Hd. lot 10, years 6 per cent, \$2000.

Jan. 21, 1899—Kenneth & Eppi MacKenzie to Geo. R. Williams, Old, Lot 33, Pacific Theological Seminary lot. Jan. 21, 1899—John F. Storer to Jose F. Silver, Wash. Tp. 10 x 80' beg at a pt. on N. line county road running from Alvarado to West's Mill's distant NW 124-08 of from pt. of intersection of said line with the center of Dry Creek and also distant SE 27-04 chs from a post set at intersection of said line with E line lots of J. C. Whipple, on NW 26-40 chs NE 3-89 chs SW 27-04 chs NW 12-04 chs to beg, 10' 6" per cent, \$1000.

Jan. 25, 1899—Fred & Anna C. Bam- man to Jas. McNeenan, Old, N. Eagle st. 42 W. Mulberry st. W. 42 x N. 150 blks 16, lots adj. to Enoch, 8 per cent, \$1000.

Jan. 25, 1899—D. B. Draper to Jessie F. Johnson, N. San Jose lot 100 E. 11th st. E. 40 x N. 150 blks 1, Foothill Hd. lot 10, 2 years 8 per cent, \$3000.

Jan. 24, 1899—B. T. & Isobel B. Mousler to E. J. Overend, Old, Anx. SE Birch and Maple st. E. 60 x S. 150, being pt. Tenthel Park lot, Jan. 24, 1899, 9 per cent, \$1000.

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DOYLE IS ON THE WARPATH.

Does Not Want Any Peeking Into His Wife's Room.

Luke Doyle, a Webster-street grocer, appeared before the City Council at its last meeting to oppose the petition of the Southern Pacific Company for permission to construct a large bay window at the corner of Seventh and Webster streets. This window is to be used as a signal tower from which a system of interlocking signals is to be used at the junction of the Webster and Seventh-street lines.

Doyle claimed that the switchman who occupied the tower would spend all his idle moments peering into his wife's boudoir. He was advised to pull down the glass to provide extra light to the window. The company was granted the permission. It is to be noted that Doyle sprang to his feet and said that he would spend \$2,000 to prevent the erection of that bay window.

RESIDENCE THE ISSUE IN A CONTEST.

The contest over the estate of Olive Jane Wicks was set for hearing on February 12th in Judge Hall's department of the Superior Court today. The question which will be raised at that time is one of jurisdiction. It will be contended that the residence of the deceased was in San Francisco at the time of her death, although she was living in this city. The argument will be that the residence of a woman is that of her husband. As Mr. Wicks was residing in San Francisco at the time of his wife's death in this city, it will be contended that the courts of Alameda county have no jurisdiction in the matter.

On these grounds the attorney of the contestant will ask for a dismissal of the petition for the probate of the will.

The will is filed for probate by James N. Shannon, Annette P. Clark, an administratrix of the estate of Alfred M. Wicks, one of the heirs-at-law, is contesting the case.

Z. N. Goldsby represents the petitioner, and McGovern & Squires the contestant.

WANTED A VISIT FROM THE BROOKLYN.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

ST. THOMAS, D. W. I., Jan. 26.—The fact that the United States armorial cruiser Brooklyn did not enter port here after appearing off Charlotte Amalie on Sunday last, was a great disappointment to the people here. The pilot who informed the Brooklyn that the health regulations provided that she would be quarantined for fourteen days, which is said to have made the warship return to Cuba, is blamed for his unauthorized action. It is added that there is no doubt the Brooklyn would have been passed by the doctor if she had entered the harbor.

BURGLAR WAS CAUGHT AT WORK.

James Miller has been held to answer by Judge Morris of Alameda before the Superior Court on a charge of burglary. His bail was fixed at \$2,000. In view of which he is confined in the County Jail.

Miller was discovered on January 15th, about 4 o'clock in the morning, in the act of looting the residence of H. Darneal of Alameda. Police Officer Logan saw a light moving about the house and investigated. He caught Miller in the act of ransacking the bureau drawers. He had not much time, however, to secure much plunder. He was arrested and brought before Justice Morris for a preliminary hearing. After hearing the evidence, Miller was held to answer for his crime.

Deputy District Attorney Hynes appeared for the people in the case.

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Kona.. SHALL PUNCH BE ABOLISHED?

The Young Lady Who Got Tipsy at a Social Function Has Caused War to Be Waged on the Punch Bowl.

Shall the punch bowl be abolished at the social functions in this city?

That is the question that is disturbing Oakland society. The ladies are discussing the subject and seem to be taking a great interest in the matter. The question is one that opens up a wide field for discussion and opinions in the point are not unanimous.

The question of abolishing the punch bowl at society affairs was brought up by reason of the fact that a certain well known young lady in this city recently appeared in a ballroom in a condition that caused much comment. She had been dancing and was invited several times to partake of the contents of the punch bowl. The society belle did not realize the strength of the refreshment and as a consequence she became tipsy and made a show of herself.

The actions of this young woman have served a purpose. She has given the society women an opportunity to give their views on a subject that is now being discussed at every society function.

Following will be found the opinions of some of the prominent women in Oakland society:

On the List of the Interviewed.

MRS. ISAAC REQUA
MRS. H. C. TAFT
MRS. G. H. WHEATON
MRS. H. K. BELDEN
MRS. THOS. CRELLIN
MRS. E. D. BECK
MRS. WILLARD BARTON
MRS. T. C. COOGAN
MRS. HENRY WETHERBEE
MRS. T. L. BARKER

Mrs. V. G. HUSH
MRS. W. E. SHARON
MRS. J. R. GLASCOCK
MRS. THOS. MAGEE JR.
MRS. VICTOR METCALF
MRS. CHAS. A. BENNETT
MRS. GEO. E. DE GOLIA
MRS. J. C. HAMPTON
MISS BEATRICE STEELE

MRS. ISAAC REQUA GIVES HER VIEWS.

MRS. ISAAC REQUA—I am greatly opposed to it. In the Deux Tempes my wishes were always most frankly expressed. Good lemonade, carefully prepared, is the proper beverage. I am not discussing the temperance question, or formulating rules for others. I have nothing to say in regard to wine at dinner. Such things are matters of social observation, and of individual opinion. But I am very decidedly opposed to the serving of punch to young people at cotillions, and I have always been most frank in expressing my views.

MRS. TAFT DOWN ON THE PUNCH BOWL.

MRS. H. C. TAFT—I regret having been interviewed by the papers so much of late, and sometimes on subjects that I don't know anything about. If anything would reconcile me to submitting to the process again, it is earnestness of my convictions and feelings on this subject. The punch bowl is an institution that I would gladly see altogether relegated to the memory of our ancestors. It certainly can do them no harm. I have never approved the practice of society offering alcohol in any form to young people. I dare say I have said that I would not thank any friend of mine who presented this temptation to any younger member of my family. At the same time, I may say that I see very little of the punch bowl in Oakland society, although I go out a great deal with my young people. I should like to see it done away with entirely.

MRS. WHEATON DOES NOT SEE MUCH HARM.

MRS. G. H. WHEATON—I am one of those who believe that all of the good things of life are to be enjoyed and used in moderation. Of these I should say that the punch bowl is one. To provide against its possible abuse, care and judgment undoubtedly are necessary, both on the part of those who partake of this manifestation of hospitality, and of those who are giving companies. One sometimes comes across punch bowls that are too strong. In such cases young people, before they are aware of it, after dancing, for instance are liable to partake too freely. This liability ought to be guarded against, not only by the young people themselves, but especially by their hosts. Otherwise I am not at present prepared to see any harm in the punch bowl.

MRS. BELDEN WOULD NOT TEMPT THEM.

MRS. H. K. BELDEN—You cannot make the protest against the punch bowl too strong for me. I think the practice, or the act, of placing liquor in any form before young people is a dreadful one. I can see how a young man might readily partake of a glass here and there, when presented by the hands of a lady friend, who would never think of going into a saloon. Much more, one, with somewhat weakened resolution, and moral constitution, who is trying to abstain from a partially acquired habit might be tempted. Yes, this society custom sometimes has the most sorry results. I am not in a position to know whether it is spreading or on the wane, nor whether there are any special reasons for a movement of this kind at the present time. There are always these general reasons for it.

MRS. CRELLIN WILLING TO EXPERIMENT.

MRS. THOMAS CRELLIN—I was not aware that there is any such movement as the abolition of the punch bowl under way, or under contemplation. Therefore I am not in a position to express any opinion about it. I may, indeed, say that if it should become apparent that the punch ought to be tabooed for the sake of those members of society, if there are any, who cannot restrain themselves, I should be perfectly willing to join in the experiment. But such a movement to be effective, would have to be universal, or nearly so. It cannot be accomplished by individuals single-handed. The present view of society very largely, is that this is one of the good things which it is permissible to judiciously use. That is my own present view. It is, as you see, subject to modification by the concurrent agreement of those who are responsible for the safe conduct of society.

MRS. BECK TELLS OF A PLEA FOR WATER.

MRS. E. B. BECK—if a movement is being started to abolish the punch bowl, it is the best movement that has been set on foot in a long while. I should heartily assent to it. There are temptations enough for our young men out in the world. They are entitled to immunity from them in their homes and in those of their friends. They surely ought not to be beset by the young lady friends in society. There is too much laxity in this matter. Why, one young gentleman of my acquaintance once said to me: "Why won't they give us cold water?" That is the hardest thing to get at some parties which I attend, and it is the most desirable! I should be thoroughly glad to see the punch bowl go.

MRS. COOGAN A BELIEVER IN LEMONADE.

MRS. T. C. COOGAN—the punch bowl is not necessary at society functions. As far as I am concerned, I would like to see it abolished. It is certainly a great temptation to young people. Of course it is recognized by society, and I suppose it will have to be tolerated. It is especially bad for the younger people, and should not be given to them. I think lemonade is strong enough to serve for all purposes.

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